

## **FISCAL NOTE**

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate  
Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: February 12, 1996

SUBJECT: **HB 2337 - SB 2570**

This bill, if enacted, will create a mandatory inference of fraudulent intent and knowledge of insufficient funds for the purpose of the worthless check law if the drawer did not have an account at the time the check was issued or dishonored. Current law provides a permissive inference if a person does not make a check good within 10 days of receiving notice that the check has been dishonored.

The fiscal impact from enactment of the bill is estimated to result in an increase in state expenditures of \$27,000 for incarceration\*. This estimate is based upon two Class E convictions per year receiving a sentence of one year with 30% or 110 days served and two Class D convictions per year receiving a sentence of two years with 30% or 220 days served.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



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